NATIONAL TRANSPORTATION SAFETY BOARD

Vehicle Recorder Division Washington, D.C. 20594

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Flight Data Recorder - 10

Group Chairman's Factual Report By R. Gregory Smith

1. EVENT SUMMARY

Location: Hudson River, New Jersey

Date: January 15, 2009

Aircraft: A320, Registration: N106US Operator: US Airways, Flight 1549

NTSB Number: DCA09MA026

On January 15, 2009, about 1527 Eastern Standard Time, US Airways flight 1549, an Airbus A320-214, registration N106US, suffered bird ingestion into both engines, lost engine thrust, and landed in the Hudson River following take off from New York City's La Guardia Airport (LGA). The scheduled, domestic passenger flight, operated under the provisions of Title 14 CFR Part 121, was en route to Charlotte Douglas International Airport (CLT) in Charlotte, North Carolina.

2. FLIGHT DATA RECORDER GROUP

A flight data recorder (FDR) group was convened on 22 Jan 2009.

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3. DETAILS OF FLIGHT DATA RECORDER INVESTIGATION

On January 18, 2009, the Safety Board's Vehicle Recorder Division received the following FDR:

Recorder Manufacturer/Model: Honeywell SSFDR, Model 980-4700, 128 Word

Recorder Serial Number: 7336

The recorder arrived submerged in water but was otherwise in good condition. The recorder was removed from the water and disassembled, removing the memory board from the armored housing. The external connector for the memory board was wet but the memory inside the armor was dry. The connector was flushed with a drying agent to force the water from it. Once the drying agent had evaporated the connector and memory was attached to the Safety Board's bench unit and the data were extracted normally from the recorder memory.

3.1. Recorder Description

The Honeywell Solid State Flight Data Recorder (SSFDR) records airplane flight information in a digital format using solid-state flash memory as the recording medium. The SSFDR can receive data in the ARINC 573/717/747 configurations and can record a minimum of 25 hours of flight data. It is configured to record 128 12-bit words of digital information every second. Each grouping of 128 words (each second) is called a subframe. Each subframe has a unique 12-bit synchronization (sync) word identifying it as either subframe 1, 2, 3, or 4. The sync word is the first word in each subframe. The data stream is "in sync" when successive sync words appear at proper 128-word intervals. Each data parameter (e.g. altitude, heading, airspeed) has a specifically assigned word number within the subframe. The SSFDR is designed to meet the crash-survivability requirements of TSO–C124.

3.2. FDR Carriage Requirements

Federal regulations regarding the carriage requirements of FDRs on aircraft can be found in the following regulations: 14 CFR 121.343, 14 CFR 121.344, 14 CFR 121.344a and 14 CFR 135.152. In general, for turbine-powered transport category aircraft manufactured on or before October 11, 1991, an FDR must be installed on board that records a minimum of 18 parameters, and for those turbine-powered aircraft that seat between 10 and 19 passengers, the minimum is 22 parameters. Newly manufactured aircraft are required to

be equipped with an FDR that records a minimum of 88 parameters. Specifically, the accident aircraft, N106US, was operating such that it was required to be equipped with an FDR that recorded 34 parameters, as cited in 14 CFR 121.344. The accident aircraft was in compliance with the federal FDR carriage requirements.

3.3. Recording Description

The FDR recording contained approximately 18.2 hours of data.¹ Timing of the FDR data is measured in subframe reference number (SRN), where each SRN equals one elapsed second. The accident flight was the last flight of the recording and its duration was approximately 5 minutes and 49 seconds from application of take-off thrust to the end of recording.

3.3.1. Recording Discontinuities

The FDR recording contained three timing discontinuities for the accident recording sequence, which begins at engine start. The first of these occurred after engine 2 spooled up enough to drive generator 2 to power AC bus 2, which powers the Flight Data Interface Unit (FDIU). The other two occurrences were during the accident flight at approximately 15:27:19 and 15:28:30. All three discontinuities were short enough to not reset the FDIU's internal frame counter as occurs when there is a significant power interruption to the FDIU. The discontinuities appeared as additional bits being inserted into the data stream that was recovered from the FDR. These additional bits were removed and all of the recorded data was recovered.

3.4. Time Correlation

Correlation of the FDR data from SRN to the accident local time, Eastern Standard Time (EST), was established with an offset provided by the Aircraft Performance Specialist in the Aircraft Performance Study. Accordingly, the time offset for the accident flight data from SRN to local EST is the following: EST = SRN - 9701.119. Therefore, for the rest of this report, all times are referenced as EST, not SRN.

3.5. Engineering Units Conversions

The engineering units conversions used for the data contained in this report are based on documentation from the operator and aircraft manufacturer. Where applicable, the conversions have been changed to ensure that the parameters conform to the Safety Board's standard sign convention that climbing right turns are positive (CRT=+).²

3.5.1. Parameters Provided and Verified

The following table lists the FDR parameters provided and verified in this report.

Table 1 - Verified Parameters

¹ The recorder was capable of recording the required 25 hours of data but had recently been replaced. The airline retained the previous recording and made a copy of the data available to the Safety Board but it was not reviewed during the course of the investigation.

 $^{^2}$ CRT=+ means that for any parameter recorded that indicates a climb or a right turn, the sign for that value is positive. Also, for any parameter recorded that indicates an action or deflection, if it induces a climb or right turn, the value is positive. Examples: Right Roll = +, Left Aileron Trailing Edge Down = -, Right Aileron Trailing Edge Up = +, Pitch Up = +, Elevator Trailing Edge Up = +.

Parameter Name	Plot Label	Units
A/C Tail Number Character 1	AC TN Char 1	
A/C Tail Number Character 2	AC TN Char 2	
A/C Tail Number Character 3	AC TN Char 3	
A/C Tail Number Character 4	AC TN Char 4	
A/C Tail Number Character 5	AC TN Char 5	
A/C Tail Number Character 6	AC TN Char 6	
A/C Tail Number Character 7	AC TN Char 7	
A/C Type	AC Type	
AC 1 bus ON	ACBus-1	
AC 2 bus ON	ACBus-2	
AC ess bus ON	ACBus-Ess	
Lateral Acceleration	Accel Lat	g
Longitudinal Acceleration	Accel Long	g
Normal Acceleration	Accel Vert	g
Left Aileron Position	Aileron-L	deg
LH Ail Blue Avail	Aileron-L Blue	
LH Ail Green Avail	Aileron-L Green	
Right Aileron Position	Aileron-R	deg
RH Ail Blue Avail	Aileron-R Blue	
RH Ail Green Avail	Aileron-R Green	
Indicated Airspeed	Airspeed Ind	kts
Altitude Standard Pressure	Altitude Press	ft
Radio Altitude 1	Altitude Radio 1	ft
Radio Altitude 2	Altitude Radio 2	ft
Eng 1 Anti-Ice P/B On	Anti-Ice PB Eng1	
Eng 2 Anti-Ice P/B On	Anti-Ice PB Eng2	
Eng 1 Anti-Ice Valve Not Fault	Anti-Ice Valve Eng1	
Eng 2 Anti-Ice Valve Not Fault	Anti-Ice Valve Eng2	
Wing Anti-Ice Valve LH Not Closed	Anti-Ice VIv Wing-L	
Wing Anti-Ice Valve RH Not Closed	Anti-Ice VIv Wing-R	
Wing Anti-Ice P/B Off	Anti-Ice Wing PB	
Angle of Attack LH	AOA-L	deg
Angle of Attack RH	AOA-R	deg
A/P Off Warning	AP Off Warning	
A/P 1 Engaged	AP-1 Status	
A/P 2 Engaged	AP-2 Status	
APU Bleed Valve	APU Bld VIv	
APU Fire	APU Fire	
Cabin Pressure Warning	Cabin Press Warn	
DC 1 Bus ON	DCBus-1	
DC 2 Bus ON	DCBus-2	
DC Ess Bus ON	DCBuss-Ess	
Drift Angle	Drift Angle	deg
ECAM Pages (Matrix 9)	ECAM Page Sel	9
ECU/EEC 1 Channel B in CTL	ECU1 Channel	
EEC 1 No Data	ECU1 Fault	
ECU/EEC 2 Channel B in CTL	ECU2 Channel	
EEC 2 No Data	ECU2 Fault	

Plot Label	Units
Elevator Fault-L+R	
Elevator-L	deg
Elevator-R	deg
Eng1 EGT	degC
Eng1 FADEC	
Eng1 Fire	
Eng1 Fuel Fire Valve	
Eng1 Fuel Flow	pph
Eng1 HP Fuel Valve	
Eng1 HPV	
Eng1 Ident	
Eng1 N1 Act	%RPM
Eng1 N1 Cmd	%RPM
Eng1 N1 Vib	
Eng1 N1-EPR Mode	
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Eng2 PRV	
Engl Caules Det	III.
Eng2 Sev Ice Det Eng2 Start VIv	
	Elevator Fault-L+R Elevator-L Elevator-R Eng1 EGT Eng1 FADEC Eng1 Fire Eng1 Fuel Fire Valve Eng1 HPF Valve Eng1 HPF Valve Eng1 HPV Eng1 Ident Eng1 N1 Cmd Eng1 N1 Cmd Eng1 N2 Vib Eng1 Oil Press Eng1 Oil Oty Eng1 Sev Ice Det Eng1 TLA Eng1 TR Deploy Eng1 TR Deploy Eng1 TR Lock Eng1 X Feed VIv Eng2 FADEC Eng2 Fire Eng2 Fuel Fire Valve Eng2 HPV Eng2 HPV Eng2 HPV Eng3 PRV Eng3 FADEC Eng4 Fire Valve Eng4 Fire Valve Eng5 Fire Eng6 FADEC Eng2 Fire Eng6 HPV Eng1 Charles Eng2 HPV Eng2 HPV Eng2 Ident Eng2 N1 Cmd Eng2 N1 Cmd Eng2 N1 Vib Eng2 N1 Feres Eng2 N2 Vib Eng2 N1 Fire Valve Eng2 N1 Cmd Eng2 N1 Vib Eng2 N1 Fire Valve Eng2 N1 Cmd Eng2 N1 Cmd Eng2 N1 Vib Eng2 OIl Oty Eng2 OPV

Parameter Name	Plot Label	Units
Engine 2 Thrust Reverser Deployed	Eng2 TR Deploy	
Engine 2 Thrust Reverser Unlock	Eng2 TR Lock	
Event Marker	Event	
Flap Lever Position	Flap Lever Pos	
Flaps Position	Flap Pos	deg
Flaps Fault	Flaps Fault	
Flight Number	Flight Num	
Frame Counter	Frame Counter	cnts
Gear Down Locked	Gear Down Locked	
Gear Selection Down	Gear Select Down	
Gear Selection Up	Gear Select Up	
Gear Up Locked	Gear Up Locked	
Left Landing Gear Squat Switch	Gear WOW-L	
Nose Landing Gear Squat Switch	Gear WOW-N	
Right Landing Gear Squat Switch	Gear WOW-R	
Gross Weight	Gross Weight	lb
Ground Speed	Ground Speed	kts
Heading	Heading	deg
True/Magnetic Heading Selected	Heading Tr-Mg	
Low Hydraulic Pressure Blue	Hyd Press-Blue	
Low Hydraulic Pressure Green	Hyd Press-Green	
Low Hydraulic Pressure Yellow	Hyd Press-Yellow	
VHF Keying	Key VHF	
Present Position Latitude	Latitude	deg
Present Position Longitude	Longitude	deg
Master Warning	Master Warning	
N1 Target	N1 Target	%RPM
Pack 1 Flow Control Valve Not Fully Closed	Pack1 Flow Ctrl VIv	
Pack 2 Flow Control Valve Not Fully Closed	Pack2 Flow Ctrl Vlv	
Pitch Attitude	Pitch	deg
Warning PITCH Discrepancy	Pitch Discrep Warn	
Pitch Alt 1 Law	Pitch Law Alt 1	
Pitch Alt 2 Law	Pitch Law Alt 2	
Pitch Direct Law	Pitch Law Direct	
Normal Pitch Law	Pitch Law Normal	
Red Warning	Red Warning	
Roll Attitude	Roll	deg
Warning ROLL Discrepancy	Roll Discrep Warn	
Rudder Position	Rudder	deg
Rudder Pedal Position	Rudder Ped Pos	deg
Rudder Trim Position	Rudder Trim Pos	deg
Slats Position	Slat Pos	deg
Slats Fault	Slats Fault	
Avionics Smoke Warning	Smoke Avionic Warn	
Cargo Smoke Warning	Smoke Cargo Warn	
Lavatory Smoke Warning	Smoke Lavatory Warn	
Speed Brake Command	Spd Brake Cmnd	
Spoiler 1 Validity	Spoiler 1 Status	

Parameter Name	Plot Label	Units
Spoiler 2 Validity	Spoiler 2 Status	
Spoiler 3 Validity	Spoiler 3 Status	
Spoiler 4 Validity	Spoiler 4 Status	
Spoiler 5 Validity	Spoiler 5 Status	
Ground Spoiler Armed	Spoiler Grnd Armed	
Left Spoiler 1 Out	Spoiler-L1 Pos	
Left Spoiler 2 Position	Spoiler-L2 Pos	deg
Left Spoiler 3 Position	Spoiler-L3 Pos	deg
Left Spoiler 4 Position	Spoiler-L4 Pos	deg
Left Spoiler 5 Position	Spoiler-L5 Pos	deg
Right Spoiler 1 Out	Spoiler-R1 Pos	
Right Spoiler 2 Position	Spoiler-R2 Pos	deg
Right Spoiler 3 Position	Spoiler-R3 Pos	deg
Right Spoiler 4 Position	Spoiler-R4 Pos	deg
Right Spoiler 5 Position	Spoiler-R5 Pos	deg
Stabilizer Position	Stabilizer Pos	deg
Stall Warning	Stall Warning	
Left Sidestick Fault	Stick Fault-L	
Right Sidestick Fault	Stick Fault-R	
Left Sidestick Inoperative	Stick Inop-L	
Right Sidestick Inoperative	Stick Inop-R	
Left Roll Command Position	Stick Lat-L	deg
Right Roll Command Position	Stick Lat-R	deg
Left Pitch Command Position	Stick Long-L	deg
Right Pitch Command Position	Stick Long-R	deg
UTC Hours	Time GMT Hrs	hrs
UTC Minutes	Time GMT Min	min
UTC Seconds	Time GMT Sec	sec
True Air Temperature (TAT)	Total Air Temp	degC
Wind Direction True	Wind Direction	deg
Wind Speed	Wind Speed	kts
Yaw Damper 1 Fault	Yaw Damp 1 Fault	
Yaw Damper 2 Fault	Yaw Damp 2 Fault	

3.5.2. Pressure Altitude

This FDR records standard pressure altitude, which is based on a standard altimeter setting of 29.92 inches of mercury (in Hg). The pressure altitude information presented in the FDR plots and in the electronic data has not been corrected for the local altimeter setting at the time of the event.

3.6. FDR Plots and Corresponding Tabular Data

The following 12 plots contain FDR data recorded during the January 15, 2009 accident flight. These plots are configured such that right turns are indicated by the trace moving toward the bottom of the page, left turns towards the top of the page, and nose up attitudes

towards the top of the page. The times that the two discontinuities in the recording of the flight occurred are annotated on the plots with black vertical lines.

Plot 1 is a general overview of the accident flight and contains the parameters: Vertical, Longitudinal, and Lateral Accelerations; Roll Attitude; Pitch Attitude; FDR Frame Counter; Heading and True/Magnetic Heading (the discrete that indicates whether the recorded heading is magnetic heading or true heading); Engine 1 and 2 Commanded and Actual N1; (the discrete parameters indicating whether the engines are being operated based on N1 or EPR settings); Pressure Altitude; and Indicated Airspeed. The fluctuations in Indicated Airspeed prior to takeoff indicate that the FDIU is not receiving valid airspeed at that time.

Plot 2 is an overview of the analog parameters for both engines for the accident flight and contains following parameters for Engines 1 and 2: Oil Quantity; Fuel Flow; N2 Vibration; N1 Vibration; EGT; Throttle Lever Angle; N1 Commanded; N1 Target (only one parameter for both engines); N1 Actual; N2; Pressure Altitude; and Indicated Airspeed.

Plot 3 is an overview of the discrete parameters for both engines for the accident flight and contains the following parameters for Engines 1 and 2: Thrust Reversers Deployed and Unlocked; Cross Feed Valve Closed (only one parameter for both engines); Start Valve Closed; Severity Ice Detected; Pressure Regulating Valve (PRV) Closed; Overpressure Valve (OPV) Open; Oil Pressure Low; N1-EPR Mode; High Pressure Valve (HPV) Closed; High Pressure (HP) Fuel Valve Closed; Fuel Fire Valve Closed; Fire Warning; FADEC Fault; Pressure Altitude; and Indicated Airspeed.

Plot 4 is an overview of the parameters for Engine 1 for the accident flight and contains the following parameters: Cross Feed Valve Closed; Start Valve Closed; Severity Ice Detected; Pressure Regulating Valve (PRV) Closed; Overpressure Valve (OPV) Open; Oil Pressure Low; N1-EPR Mode; High Pressure Valve (HPV) Closed; High Pressure (HP) Fuel Valve Closed; Fuel Fire Valve Closed; Fire Warning; FADEC Fault; Oil Quantity; Fuel Flow; N2 Vibration; N1 Vibration; EGT; Throttle Lever Angle; N1 Commanded; N1 Actual; N2; Pressure Altitude; and Indicated Airspeed.

Plot 5 is an overview of the parameters for Engine 2 for the accident flight and contains the following parameters: Start Valve Closed; Severity Ice Detected; Pressure Regulating Valve (PRV) Closed; Overpressure Valve (OPV) Open; Oil Pressure Low; N1-EPR Mode; High Pressure Valve (HPV) Closed; High Pressure (HP) Fuel Valve Closed; Fuel Fire Valve Closed; Fire Warning; FADEC Fault; Oil Quantity; Fuel Flow; N2 Vibration; N1 Vibration; EGT; Throttle Lever Angle; N1 Commanded; N1 Actual; N2; Pressure Altitude; and Indicated Airspeed.

Plot 6 is an overview of the pitch axis parameters for the accident flight and contains the following parameters: Left and Right Longitudinal Stick Positions; Stabilizer Position; Normal, Direct, Alternate 1, and Alternate 2 Pitch Laws (discrete parameters indicating which pitch law mode the flight controls were operating in); Pitch Discrepancy Warning; Pitch Attitude; Left an Right Elevator Positions; Left and Right Elevator Fault (only one parameter for both faults); Left and Right Angle of Attack; Radio Altitudes 1 and 2; Pressure Altitude; and Indicated Airspeed.

Plot 7 is an overview of the Flaps, Slats, and Spoiler parameters for the accident flight and contains the following parameters: Slat Position; Slats Fault; Left and Right Spoiler 1 through 5 Positions; Ground Spoiler Armed; Spoiler 1 through 5 Status; Speed Brake Commanded; Flaps Fault; Flap Position; Flap Lever Position; Pitch Attitude; Radio Altitudes 1 and 2; Pressure Altitude; and Indicated Airspeed.

Plot 8 is an overview of the roll axis parameters for the accident flight and contains the following parameters: VHF Radio Key; Master Warning; Red Warning; Stall Warning; Low Hydraulic Pressure Yellow, Green, and Blue; Right and Left Aileron, Green and Blue Hydraulic System, Available; Left and Right Aileron Positions; Left and Right Side Stick Inop; Left and Right Side Stick Fault; Left and Right Lateral Stick Position; Roll Discrepancy Warning; Roll Attitude; Radio Altitude 1 and 2; Pressure Altitude; and Indicated Airspeed.

Plot 9 is an overview of the yaw axis, wind, and smoke parameters for the accident flight and contains the following parameters: Cabin Pressure Warning; Lavatory, Cargo, and Avionics Smoke Warnings; Total Air Temperature; Wind Speed and Direction; Yaw Damper 1 and 2 Faults; Rudder Trim Position; Rudder Pedal Position; Rudder Position; Magnetic Heading; Radio Altitude 1 and 2; Pressure Altitude; Ground Speed; and Indicated Airspeed.

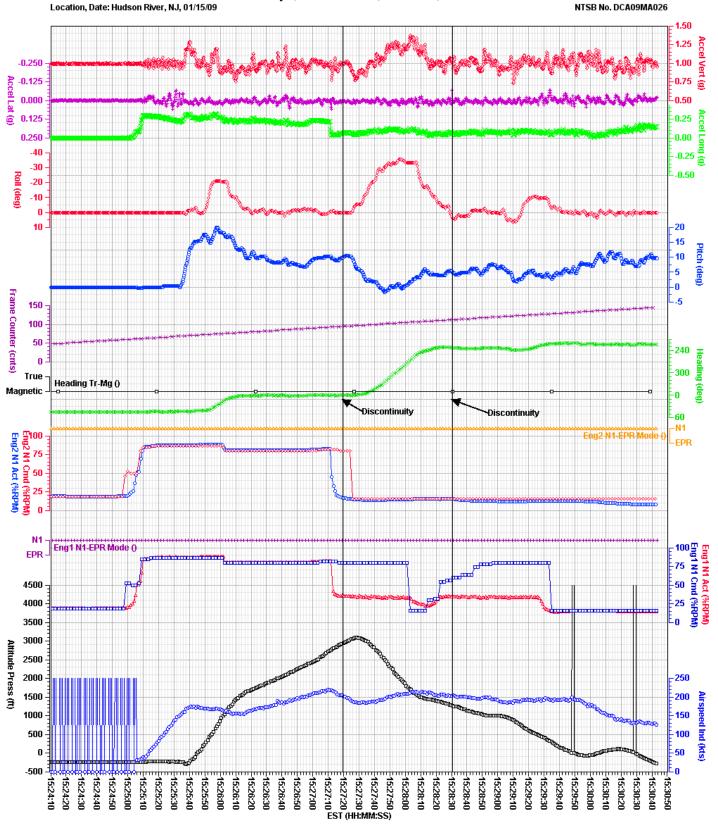
Plot 10 is an overview of miscellaneous parameters for the accident flight and contains the following parameters: AC Busses 1, 2 and Essential Status; Auto Pilot 1 and 2 Status; Auto Pilot Off Warning; APU Bleed Valve Open; APU Fire Warning; DC Busses 1, 2 and Essential Status; Packs 1 and 2 Flow Control Valve Closed; Gross Weight; Latitude; Longitude; Radio Altitude 1 and 2; Pressure Altitude; and Indicated Airspeed.

Plot 11 is an overview of miscellaneous parameters for the accident flight and contains the following parameters: ECAM Page Selected; Radio Altitude 1; Engines 1 and 2 N2; ECU 1 and 2 Faults and Channel In Control; Drift Angle; Wing and Engines 1 and 2 Anti-Ice Push Buttons; and Left and Right Wing and Engines 1 and 2 Anti-Ice Valves.

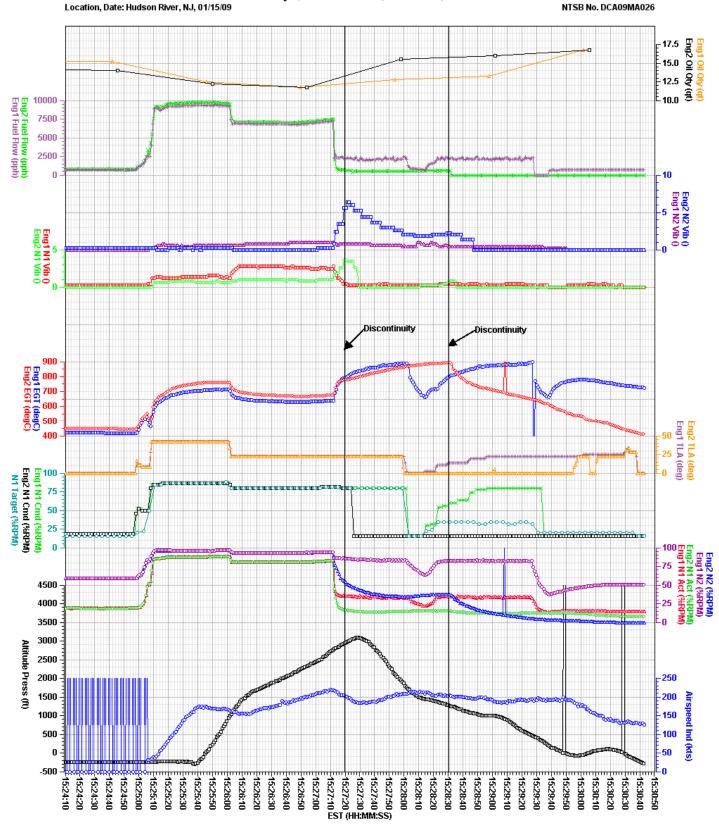
Plot 12 is an overview of the parameters for Engine 2 for the accident flight and contains the following parameters: Engines 1 and 2 N1, N2, N1 Vibrations and N2 Vibrations; and Radio Altitude 1.

Attachment 1 to this report contains the tabular data for all parameters listed in Table 1 in electronic format (a zipped, comma separated value file) for the accident recording sequence. Not all data contained in Attachment 1 is contained in the following plots.

Plot 1 US Airways, Airbus A320, Flt 1549, N106US



Plot 2
US Airways, Airbus A320, Flt 1549, N106US



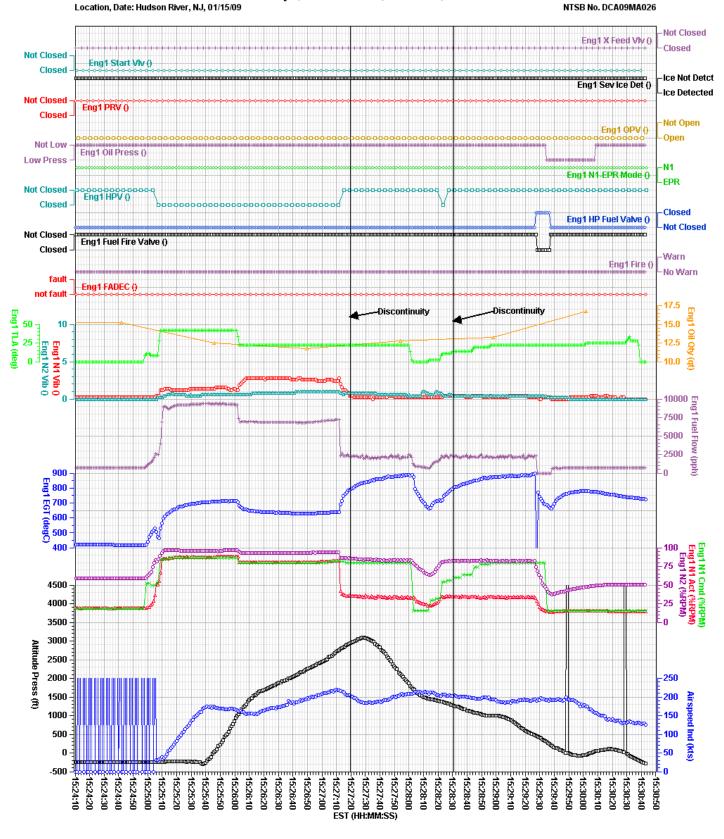
Plot 2 - Engine Parameters

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Plot 3 US Airways, Airbus A320, Flt 1549, N106US

Location, Date: Hudson River, NJ, 01/15/09 NTSB No. DCA09MA026 Eng2 TR Deploy () Not Dep Deployed Eng1 TR Deploy () **Not Dep** Unlock Eng2 TR Lock () -Not Unlk Unlock Eng1 TR Lock () **Not Unlk** Not Closed Eng1 X Feed VIv () Closed Not Closed Eng2 Start VIv () Closed Not Closed Eng1 Start VIv () -Closed Ice Not Detct Eng2 Sev Ice Det () ice Detected -Ice Not Detct Eng1 Sev Ice Det () Ice Detected **Not Closed** Eng2 PRV () Closed Not Closed Eng1 PRV 0 Closed Discontinuity Discontinuity **Not Open** Eng2-OPV () Open Not Open Eng1 OPV () Open **Not Low** Low Press Not Low Eng1 Oil Press () -Low Press N1 Eng2 N1-EPR Mode () **EPR** Eng1 N1-EPR Mode () -EPR **Not Closed** Eng2 HPV () Closed -Not Closed -Closed Closed Eng2 HP Fuel Valve () **Not Closed** Closed **Not Closed Not Closed** Eng2 Fuel Fire Valve () Closed Not Closed Eng1 Fuel Fire Valve () Closed 4500 Eng2 Fire () No Warn Warn 4000 Eng1 Fire () 3500 No Warn fault Eng2 FADEC (3000 -not fault -fault Altitude Press (ft) 2500 -not fault 2000 -250 1500 200 1000 150 夏 500 100 0 50 15:28:30 15:28:20 15:27:50 15:27:50 15:27:30 15:27:30 15:27:30 15:27:30 15:26:50 15:26:50 15:26:50 15:26:50 15:26:50 15:26:50 15:26:50 15:26:50 15:26:50 15:26:50 15:30:40 15:30:30 15:30:30 15:30:10 15:30:00 15:29:50 15:29:40 15:29:30 15:29:10 15:29:10 15:28:50 -500

Plot 4
US Airways, Airbus A320, Flt 1549, N106US



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Plot 4 - Engine 1 Parameters and Discretes

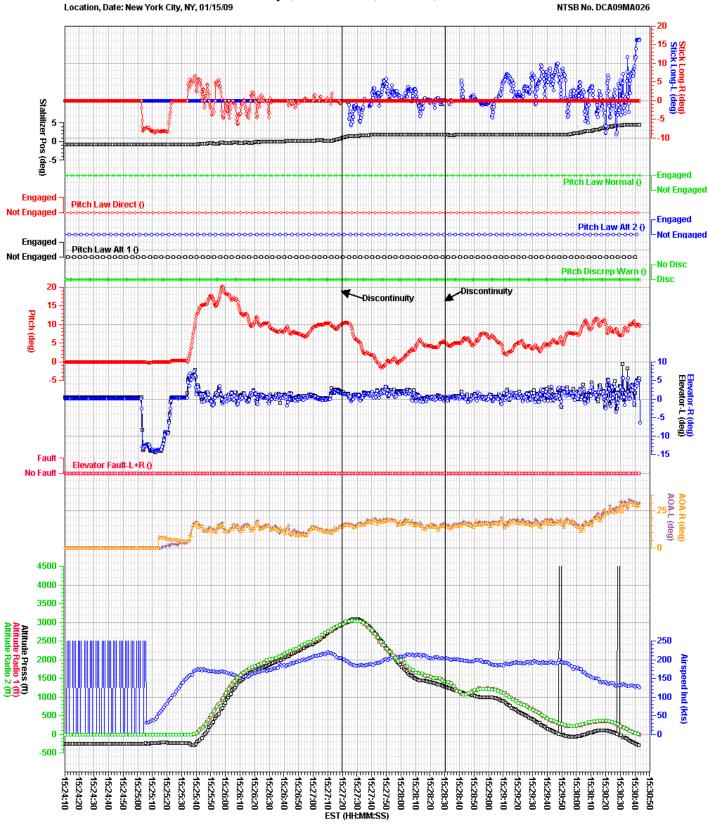
Plot 5 US Airways, Airbus A320, Flt 1549, N106US

Location, Date: Hudson River, NJ, 01/15/09 NTSB No. DCA09MA026 **Not Closed** Eng2 Start VIv () Closed Ice Not Detct Eng2 Sev Ice Det () -Ice Detected **Not Closed** Eng2 PRV () Closed Not Open Eng2 OPV () -Open Not Low Eng2 Oil Press () **Low Press** -N1 -EPR **Not Closed** Eng2 HPV () Closed 000000000000000 Closed Eng2 HP Fuel Valve () -Not Closed **Not Closed** Eng2 Fuel Fire Valve () Closed -Warn Eng2 Fire () -No Warn fault Eng2 FADEC () Eng2 TLA (deg) Discontinuity Discontinuity 0 - 10 Eng2 N1 Vib 0 Eng2 N2 Vib 0 -10 7500 Fing2 Fuel Flow (pph) 800 Fig2 FGT 600 500 400 Eng2 N1 Cmd (%RPM) Eng2 N1 Act (%RPM) -50 4500 4000 -25 3500 3000 Altitude Press (ft) 2500 2000 250 1500 200 speed Ind 1000 500 - 100 15:27:10 15:27:00 15:26:50 15:26:40 15:26:30 15:26:30 15:26:10 15:26:10 15:25:50 15:25:50 15:25:30 15:30:40 15:30:30 15:30:30 15:30:30 15:30:30 15:29:40 15:29:30 15:29:30 15:28:40 15:28:30 15:28:30 15:27:40 15:27:30 15:27:40 15:27:30 15:27:30 15:27:30 15:27:30 15:27:30 15:27:30 15:27:30 15:27:30 -500

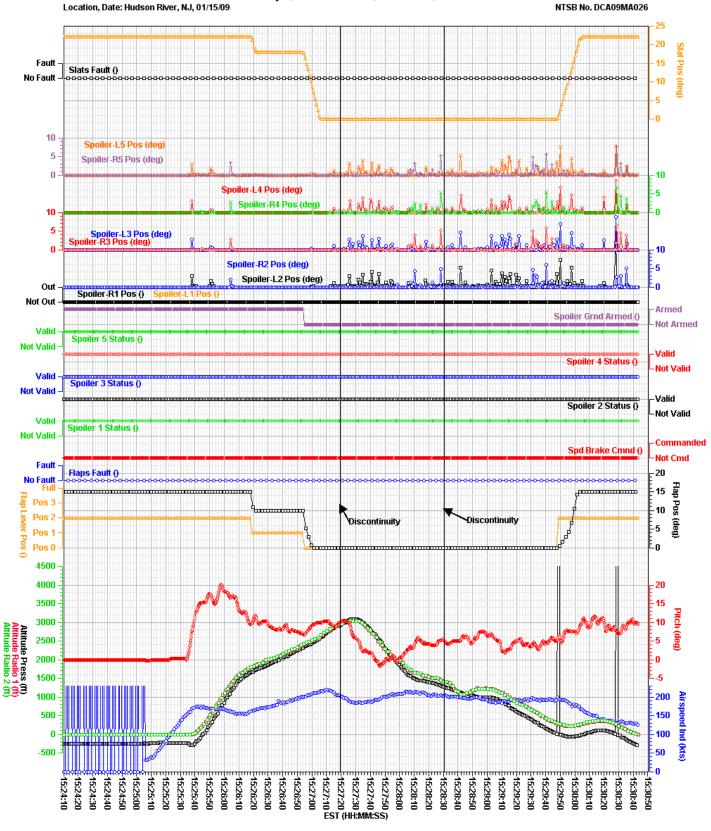
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Plot 5 - Engine 2 Parameters and Discretes

Plot 6 US Airways, Airbus A320, Flt 1549, N106US

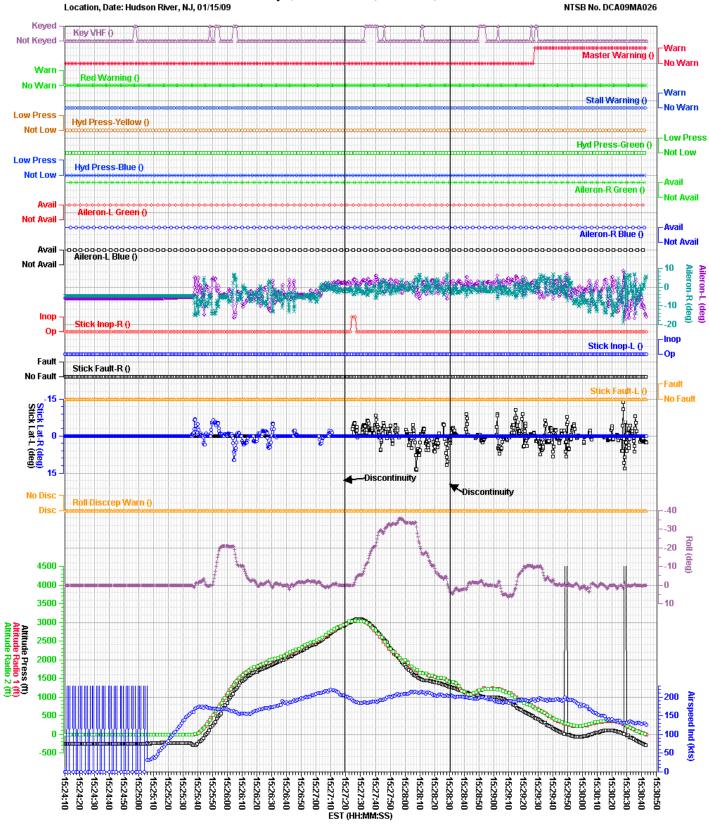


Plot 7
US Airways, Airbus A320, Flt 1549, N106US



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Plot 8 US Airways, Airbus A320, Flt 1549, N106US



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Plot 8 - Roll Parameters and Hydraulic Discretes

Plot 9 US Airways, Airbus A320, Flt 1549, N106US

Location, Date: Hudson River, NJ, 01/15/09 NTSB No. DCA09MA026 Warn Cabin Press Warn () No Warn Warn Smoke Lavatory Warn () No Warn No Warn Warn Smoke Avionic Warn () Total Air Temp (No Warn Wind Direction (deg) Wind Speed 120 10 0 300 (kts) -5 240 0 180 Fault Yaw Damp 2 Fault () **Not Fault** Yaw Damp 1 Fault (Rudder Trim Pos (deg) 0.0 Rudder Ped Pos (deg) 2.5 -5 -10 Rudder (deg) -5 0 5 210 Discontinuity 10 240 270 300 Discontinuity 4500 -330 4000 3500 Attitude Press (ft) Attitude Radio 1 (ft) Attitude Radio 2 (ft) 3000 -60 2500 2000 1500 Ground Speed (kts)
Airspeed Ind (kts) 1000 200 150 500 100 -500 50 15:27:20 15:27:00 15:26:50 15:26:40 15:26:30 15:26:30 15:26:30 15:26:40 15:25:40 15:25:40 15:25:40 15:25:40 15:30:50 15:30:40 15:30:30 15:30:30 15:30:30 15:30:10 15:20:50 15:20:50 15:20:50 15:20:50 15:20:50 15:20:50 15:20:50 15:20:50 15:20:50 15:20:50 15:20:50 ±15:27:30 15:24:50 15:25:00

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Plot 9 - Yaw, Wind and Smoke Parameters

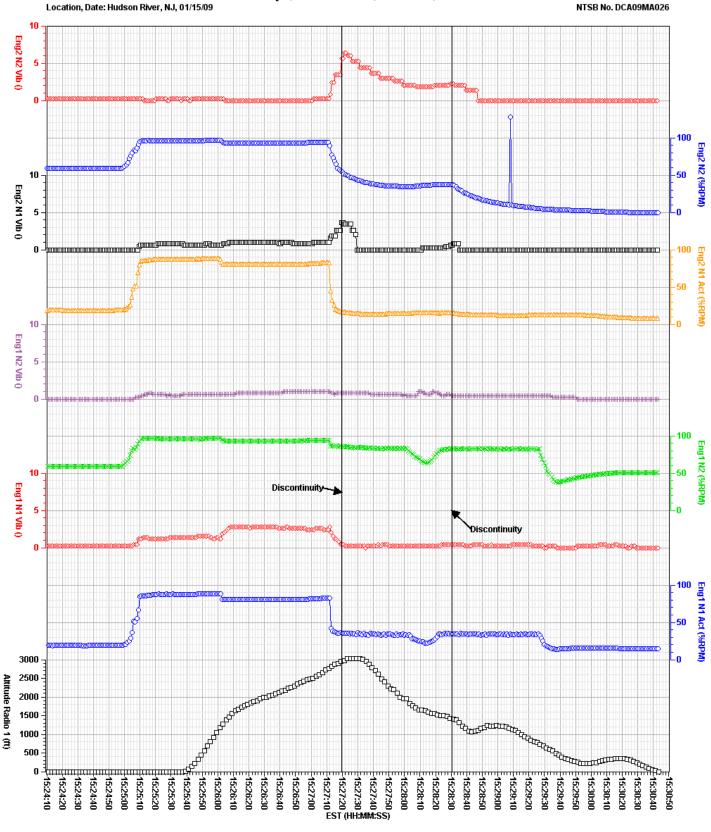
Plot 10 US Airways, Airbus A320, Flt 1549, N106US

Location, Date: Hudson River, NJ, 01/15/09 NTSB No. DCA09MA026 Off On ACBus-2 () -Off ACBus-1() Off -Engaged AP-2 Status () Not Engaged Engaged AP-1 Status () Not Engaged -Warn No Warn Open APU Bld VIv () **Not Open** Warn APU Fire () -No Warn Off On DCBus-2() Off On Off Event () -0 **Not Closed** Pack2 Flow Ctrl VIv () Closed Not Closed Pack1 Flow Ctrl VIv () Closed -152000 Gross -151500 Weight -151000 lift N40:52:29 150500 🛢 N40:50:59 N40:49:29 N40:47:59 N40:46:29 W73:50:59 Discontinuity N40:44:59 Discontinuity 4500 4000 3500 3000 Altitude Press (ft) Altitude Radio 1 (ft) Altitude Radio 2 (ft) -W74:01:29 2500 2000 1500 1000 200 150 500 100 ₫ -500 15:27:10 15:27:00 15:26:50 15:26:40 15:26:30 15:26:30 15:26:10 15:26:00 15:25:50 15:25:40 15:25:30 15:27:40 (HH:MM: 15:27:20 (HH:MM: 15:27:20 (HH:MM: 15:28:20 15:28:10 15:28:00 15:30:40 15:30:20 15:30:20 15:30:20 15:30:00 15:29:50 15:29:30 15:29:30 15:29:30 15:28:50 ±15:28:30 15:30:50

Plot 11 US Airways, Airbus A320, Flt 1549, N106US

Location, Date: Hudson River, NJ, 01/15/09 NTSB No. DCA09MA026 **Engine** APU 3000 Bleed Cond 2500 Door 2000 Elec ECAM Page Sel () 1500 3 1000 500 Fuel n-Press Status Cruise Undef Undef 100 Undef Eng1 N2 (%RPM) Eng2 N2 (%RPM) 50 0 ECU2 Fault () ECU2 Channel () A no data ECU1 Fault () -data 0000000000000000 В ECU1 Channel () A Discontinuity-Discontinuity Anti-Ice Wing PB () -Not Closed -Closed **Not Closed** Anti-Ice VIv Wing-L () Closed -Not Fault Anti-Ice Valve Eng2 () Fault **Not Fault** Fault Off Off Anti-Ice PB Eng1 () On 15:30:50 15:30:50 15:30:30 15:30:30 15:30:30 15:30:30 15:20:50 15:20:50 15:20:30 15:20 15:

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